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DETAILED ACTION

- 1. This is in response to the arguments filed on 12 June 2006.
- 2. Claims 1-39 are pending in the application.
- 3. Claims 1-39 have been rejected.

Response to Amendment

4. Applicant's request for reconsideration of the finality of the rejection of the last Office action is persuasive and, therefore, the finality of that action is withdrawn.

Response to Arguments

5. Applicant's arguments with respect to claims 1-39 have been considered but are moot in view of the new ground(s) of rejection.

Claim Rejections - 35 USC § 102

The following is a quotation of the appropriate paragraphs of 35 U.S.C. 102 that form the basis for the rejections under this section made in this Office action:

A person shall be entitled to a patent unless –

- (e) the invention was described in (1) an application for patent, published under section 122(b), by another filed in the United States before the invention by the applicant for patent or (2) a patent granted on an application for patent by another filed in the United States before the invention by the applicant for patent, except that an international application filed under the treaty defined in section 351(a) shall have the effects for purposes of this subsection of an application filed in the United States only if the international application designated the United States and was published under Article 21(2) of such treaty in the English language.
- 6. Claims 1-6, 12, 14, 16-20, 22, 27, 29-31, 36 and 37 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. 102(b) as being anticipated by Del Rey et al US 2006/0106703 A1.

As to claims 1, 29 and 36, Del Rey et al discloses a method for real-time insertion of services during a telephony call session over a communication network, comprising:

- initiating a service request message by a first client to a first server, the service request message initiated after a telephony call session has been

established [0026] between the first client and a communication network the service request message including the first client identity and a requested service available from a second server comprising a plurality of services [0019-0020];

- determining that the first client is authorized to use the requested service at the first server [0026];
- and delivering the requested service to the first client during the established telephony call session by the second server in response to determining that the first client is authorized to use the requested service [0031].

As to claims 2 and 17, Del Rey et al discloses that at least one of the services comprises an application operable to provide text viewing and modification capabilities [0060].

As to claims 3 and 18, Del Rey et al discloses that at least one of the services comprises an application operable to provide graphic viewing and modification capabilities [0060].

As to claims 4 and 19, Del Rey et al discloses that the requested service is only available during the telephony call session [0026].

As to claims 5, 20 and 30, Del Rey et al discloses the method further comprising:

- comparing the first client identity and the requested service with a list stored in the first server, the list comprising a plurality of clients authorized to use at least one of the services available from the second server [0042-0045];
- and issuing a ticket to the first client if the list includes authorization for the first client to use the requested service [0042-0045].

As to claims 6, 31 and 37, Del Rey et al discloses the method further comprising:

- comparing the first client identity and the requested service with a list stored in the first server, the list comprising a plurality of clients authorized to use at least one of the services available from the second server [0042-0045];

- issuing a ticket to the first client in response to determining that the list includes authorization for the first client to use the requested service, the ticket including the first client identity and the requested service; sending the ticket to the second server by the first client [0042-0045];

- and reading the ticket at the second server to retrieve the requested service [0042-0045].

As to claims 12 and 27, Del Rey et al suggests pressing a button associated with the requested service at the first client during a telephony call session to initiate the service request message [0026].

As to claim 14, Del Rey et al discloses a communication system, comprising:

- establish a telephony call session between the client and a communication network [0026]; and
- initiate a service request message after the telephony call session has been established, the service request message including a client identifier and a requested service to be inserted into the telephony call session [0026];
- a first device operable to couple to the communication network, the first device comprising a list of clients authorized to use at least one of a plurality of services [0026];

- and a second device operable to couple to the communication network, the second device further operable to insert the requested service into the established telephony call session in response to determining that the list includes the client identifier and the requested service [0026].

As to claim 16, Del Rey et al discloses that the first device is operable to determine that the client is authorized to use the requested service [0026].

As to claim 22, Del Rey et al suggest that the communication system further comprises:

- a plurality of remote clients coupled to the communication network [0089];
 - and a plurality of remote second devices coupled to the communication network, each remote second device associated with at least one of the remote clients [0089].

Claim Rejections - 35 USC § 103

The following is a quotation of 35 U.S.C. 103(a) which forms the basis for all obviousness rejections set forth in this Office action:

- (a) A patent may not be obtained though the invention is not identically disclosed or described as set forth in section 102 of this title, if the differences between the subject matter sought to be patented and the prior art are such that the subject matter as a whole would have been obvious at the time the invention was made to a person having ordinary skill in the art to which said subject matter pertains. Patentability shall not be negatived by the manner in which the invention was made.
- 7. Claims 7-11, 21, 23-26, 32-35, 38 and 39 arc rejected under 35 U.S.C. 103(a) as being unpatentable over Del Rey et al US 2006/0106703 A1 as applied to claims 1, 14, 29 and 36 above, and further in view of Bittinger et al US 2006/0106703 A1.

As to claims 7, 8, 10, 11, 21, 23-26, 32, 33, 35, 38 and 39, Del Rey et al discloses comparing the first client identity and the requested service with a list stored in the first server.

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Del Rey et al teaches that the list comprises a plurality of clients authorized to use at least one of the services available from the second server.

Del Rey et al does not teach issuing a ticket to the first client in response to determining that the list includes authorization for the first client to use the requested service. Del Rey et al does not teach that the ticket includes the first client identity and the requested service. Del Rey et al does not teach sending the ticket and an address associated with a second client to the second server by the first client. Del Rey et al does not teach reading the ticket at the second server to retrieve the requested service for a second client. Del Rey et al does not teach delivering the requested service to the second client based on the address received from the first client.

Bittinger et al teaches sending the ticket and an address associated with a second client to the second server by the first client. Bittinger et al teaches reading the ticket at the second server to retrieve the requested service for a second client. Bittinger et al teaches delivering the requested service to the second client based on the address received from the first client [column 7, lines 1-49].

Therefore, it would have been obvious to a person having ordinary skill in the art at the time the invention was made to have modified Del Rey et al so that the ticket sent from the first client to the second server included the address associated with a second client. The second server would have read the ticket and retrieved the requested service. The service would have been delivered to the second client based on address received from the first client.

It would have been obvious to a person having ordinary skill in the art at the time the invention was made to have modified Del Rey et al by the teaching of Bittinger et al because by

moving a server-side registry to a computer hosting a client application (i.e., a "client-side" registry), a server application can notify a client application when server application startup processing is complete and can provide a server stub associated with the server application to the client application. As a result, a client application can be automatically notified that a server application is ready to receive client application requests. Consequently, the need for server polling may be eliminated [column 3 line 65 to column 4 line 7].

As to claims 9 and 34, Del Rey et al teaches comparing the first client identity and the requested service with a list stored in the first server. Del Rey et al teaches that the list comprises a plurality of clients authorized to use at least one of the services available from the second server [column 5, lines 47-58]. Del Rey et al teaches issuing a ticket to the second server in response to determining that the list includes authorization for the first client to use the requested service [column 7, lines 24-40].

8. Claims 13 and 28 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. 103(a) as being unpatentable over Del Rey et al US 2006/0106703 A1 as applied to claims 1 and 14 above, and further in view of Lancaster et al U.S. Patent No. 5,854,894.

As to claims 13 and 28, Del Rey et al does not teach selecting the requested service from a menu displayed on the first client during the telephony call session to initiate the service request message.

Lancaster et al teaches selecting a requested service from a menu displayed on the frst client during a telephony call session to initiate the service request message [column 2, lines 12-18].

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Therefore, it would have been obvious to a person having ordinary skill in the art at the time the invention was made to have modified Del Rey et al so that client selected the desired service from a service menu display to initiate the service request message.

It would have been obvious to a person having ordinary skill in the art at the time the invention was made to have modified Del Rey et al by the teaching of Lancaster et al because a menu provides a means for a client to know what ser<ices are available by a second server.

9. Claim 15 is rejected under 35 U.S.C. 103(x) as being unpatentable over Del Rey et al US 2006/0106703 A1 as applied to claim 14 above, and further in view of Berbec et al U.S. Patent No. 6,122,631.

As to claim 15, Del Rey et al does not teach that the client further comprises a cache operable to store a requested service and the requested service removable from the cache when the telephony call session terminates.

Berbec et al teaches a client that comprises a cache operable to store a requested service and the requested service removable from the cache when the telephony call session terminates [column 5, lines 19-27].

Therefore, it would have been obvious to a person having ordinary skill in the art at the time the invention was made to have modified Del Rey et al so that client would have stored the requested service in cache and would have removed the requested service from cache when the telephony call session terminated.

It would have been obvious to a person having ordinary skill in the art at the time the invention was made to have modified Del Rey et al by the teaching of Berbec et al because this

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allows the client to access files dynamically and allow the server to distribute files in a secure

manner [column 1, lines 47-61].

Conclusion

10. Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the

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